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Colonel James Seaton, Commanding Officer U.S. Marine Corps Base Box 555015 Camp Pendleton, CA 92055-5015 In Reply Refer to: LDU:06-0692.02:agrove

Dear Sir:

RE: ORDER NO. R9-2007-003: RESCISSION OF ORDER NO. 95-109

Enclosed is Order No. R9-2007-003 that was adopted by the California Regional Water Quality Control Board, San Diego Region (Regional Board) on January 24, 2007. This Order rescinds waste discharge requirements (issued as Order 95-109) for the Class II Waste Management Unit located in the 33 Area at Camp Pendleton, CA.

The heading portion of this letter includes a Regional Board code number noted after "In Reply Refer to:" In order to assist us in the processing of your correspondence, please include this code number in the heading or subject line portion of all correspondence and reports to the Regional Board pertaining to this matter.

If you have any questions or comments regarding this Order, please contact Mrs. Amy L. Grove at (858) 637-7136, or via e-mail at agrove@waterboards.ca.gov.

Sincerely.

John H. Robertus Executive Officer

Enclosure: Order R9-2007-003

cc: Ms. Tracy Sahagun, Office of the Chief of Staff, Environmental Security, Building 22165, U.S. Marine Corps Base, Camp Pendleton, CA 92055

Ms. Rebecca Lafreniere, County of San Diego, Local Enforcement Agency, 9325 Hazard Way, San Diego, CA 92123

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California Environmental Protection Agency

CALIFORNIA REGIONAL WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARD SAN DIEGO REGION

ORDER NO. R9-2007-003

AN ORDER RESCINDING ORDER NO. 95-109

Waste Discharge Requirements for Marine Corps Base Camp Pendleton

Class II Waste Management Facility

For Treatment of Petroleum Hydrocarbon Contaminated Soils At United States Marine Corps Base, Camp Pendleton San Diego County

The California Regional Water Quality Control Board, San Diego Region (hereinafter the Regional Board) finds that:

- 1. On October 12, 1995, the Regional Board adopted Order No. 95-109 establishing Waste Discharge Requirements and a Monitoring and Reporting Program for the storage and treatment of petroleum hydrocarbon contaminated soils at a Class II waste management facility/unit ("Unit") located in Area 33 of Marine Corps Base Camp Pendleton, San Diego County.
- 2. The United States Marine Corps (the "Discharger") terminated the discharge of wastes to the Unit in 2000.
- 3. The Discharger conducted field sampling and site closure activities during December 7 through December 9, 2005. Based on the information provided to the Regional Board, the Unit meets the applicable State requirements for clean closure, as specified in California Code of Regulations (CCR), Title 27, §21090(f).
- 4. The Regional Board has notified the Discharger and all known interested parties of its intent to rescind Order No. 95-109.
- 5. The Unit is currently an existing facility and therefore exempt from the provisions of CEQA, in accordance with Title 14, California Code of Regulations, Article 19, Section 15301.
- 6. This action involves the rescission of Waste Discharge Requirements for a Unit, where the Discharger has terminated the discharge of wastes, and completed clean closure requirements under CCR Title 27 §21090(f).

January 24, 2007

Order R9-2007-003:

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Rescinding Order 95-109 - WDRs for a Class II Waste Management Unit, For Treatment of Petroleum Hydrocarbon Soils at Marine Corps Base, Camp Pendleton

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that:

Order No. 95-109, including Monitoring and Reporting Program 95-109, is hereby rescinded.

I, John H. Robertus, Regional Board, do hereby certify the foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of an Order adopted by the California Regional Water Quality Control Board, San Diego Region, on January 24, 2007.

Executive Officer